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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicant:** Philip John Burke and Richard John Knox

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**Examiner:** G. Nickol

**For:** "Therapeutic Systems"

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on December 3, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

It is believed that no fee is required with this submission. However, should a fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1868.

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